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SUBJ: BIO DATA - CAT I - FOR NEW VIETNAMESE BOAT CASE REFUGEE

DOAN VAN BICH FAMILY OF 2

REF : A. BANGKOK 25294 B. BANGKOK 24811 C. STATE 178281

1. DOAN VAN BICH

A. BUDDHIST

B.MARCH 31, 1952 SAIGON, VN

C. UNIVERSITY OF SAIGON - CERTIFICATE IN PHYSICS CHEMISTRY
AND NATURAL SCIENCES.

D. JET PILOT - A37 - 4 MONTHS TRAINING IN ENGLISH AT LAKLAND
AFB, TEXAS. UPON COMPLETION OF THIS COURSE HE COMMENCED A
9 MONTHS TRAINING COURSE FOR THE A37 AT WEBB AFB, TEXAS.
AFTER GRADUATING FROM THIS COURSE ON OCT. 24, 1974 HE RETURNED
TO VIETNAM AS A 2ND LT.

E. VIETNAMESE, ENGLISH (EXCELLENT)

F. DOAN THI PHUONG NAM (SISTER)

5056 LIDO LANE

HOUSTON, TEXAS 77018

SISTER WENT TO U.S. IN APR. 1975 AS A REFUGEE WITH HER HUSBAND
NGUYEN NHU MAI.

G. UNKNOWN.

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2. DOAN CUONG (BROTHER)

A. BUDDHIST

B. MAY 22, 1953 HAI PHONG, VN

C. SECONDARY

D. UH-1 PILOT, COMPLETED PILOT TRAINING AT NHA TRANG AFB

E. VIETNAMESE, ENGLISH (GOOD)

F. SAME AS 1F

G. UNKNOWN

3. BOTH WERE ABOARD SONGKHLA BOAT NO. 21 WHICH LANDED AUG. 26
PER REFTEL B.

4. AFTER THE FALL OF VIETNAM, BOTH HEADED FOR A SMALL, OBSCURE
FISHING VILLAGE IN THE SOUTH OF VIETNAM TO MINGLE WITH THE LOCAL
FISHERMAN. THEY BEGAN WORKING AS FISHERMEN, AND FORTUNATELY NO
ONE IN THE VILLAGE REPORTED THEM TO THE AUTHORITIES AS NECOMERS.
THEY EVENTUALLY CAME INTO CONTACT WITH ANOTHER GROUP LOOKING
FOR AN OPPORTUNITY TO ESCAPE.

5. ALTHOUGH BOTH ARE BEING PRESENTED AS CAT I, THEY ALSO QUALIFY
AS HIGH CAT III. POST FEELS THE COMBINATION MAKES FOR A STRONG
CASE.

6. REQUEST ORM AND INS/CO APPROVE ISSUANCE OF TWO EPP RECOUP "A"
NUMBERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH REFTEL C. (THIRD PRIORITY)
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